MONTANA
FISH AND GAME DEPARTMENT
HELENA, MONTANA

1965 DEER, ELK AND BEAR SEASONS

AUTHORITY

Chapter 36, Laws of 1959, Section 26-104, Paragraph (15), provides that the State Fish and Game Commission shall have authority to fix seasons and bag limits, open or close, shorten or lengthen seasons on any species of game, bird, fish or fur-bearing animal as defined by Section 26-201 of this code. Paragraph (17) provides the authority to divide the State into fish and game districts.

To insure a proper harvest of game, **seasons may be closed on two days' notice or if necessary may be reopened.**

REGULATIONS

In accordance with the provisions prescribed by law, the following regulations governing the 1965 open season on deer, elk and bear were adopted by the Montana Fish and Game Commission on May 18, 1965.

The State has been divided into legally described game districts designated by a number, wherein the limits, season dates, species and sex of game animals which may be taken are specified.

The entire State shall be closed to the hunting of all big game animals except as specified under the numbered district regulations.

LEGAL NOTICE

By order of the Montana State Fish and Game Commission, the following dates and regulations for the 1965 deer, elk and bear seasons are adopted.

State Fish and Game Commission
Frank H. Dunkle, Secretary
May 18, 1965

HUNTING REGULATIONS AND LAWS

RESTRICTIONS

Restrictions on the manner of taking and possessing game is prescribed by law, briefly stated.

IT IS UNLAWFUL:

For any nonresident to hunt big game animals in Montana unless he is accompanied by a resident licensed to hunt game animals, provided that a nonresident need not be accompanied when hunting in special deer or antelope areas as designated by the State Fish and Game Commission.

For every resident or nonresident to hunt big game animals on private property without first having obtained permission of the landowner, lessee or their agent.

To hunt or take any game animals without having a valid license on your person.

To fail to immediately fill out, punch or cut out month and date of kill and attach a proper tag provided with the license to the carcass of any game animal you kill.

To transfer your license or use any license or tag issued to another person.

To shoot game animals on, from, or across a public road.

To shoot or attempt to shoot game animals with the aid of artificial light.

To hunt big game animals without wearing as an exterior garment, a cap or hat, shirt, jacket, coat or sweater of a bright red, orange or yellow color.

To shoot from an automobile or other self-propelled vehicle.

To use any poisonous, explosive or deleterious substances on or in any arrowhead, bullet or projectile.

To use shotgun to shoot deer except with loads of 0 buck, 00 buck or single ball load.

For resident persons under twelve (12) years of age to purchase big game hunting licenses and hunt game animals.

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

All persons who hunt big game must have a valid big game license. This includes persons 70 years of age or over.

All resident persons 12 through 17 years of age must present a certificate of competency when purchasing any hunting license.

OPEN SEASON

Open season for hunting shall be one-half (½) hour before sunrise until one-half (½) hour after sunset on each day as indicated by dates for each game district.

All dates given are inclusive.

All legislative and Commission created game preserves shall be closed to hunting.

LIMITS

Deer—The limit shall be two (2) deer per person per license year. All seasons are for deer of either sex. In one (1) deer districts only one (1) deer may be taken and said deer shall be tagged with the "A" tag provided on the license. Only one (1) "A" tag and one (1) "B" tag may be used during the license year. Deer taken during the archery season shall count towards the two deer limit. Only persons who hold the resident or $100 nonresident big game license are entitled to take two deer in designated two deer districts.

BEAR SEASONS

Black Bear

Open season from March 15 through November 28, 1965 in all game districts except in areas specified as closed.

Grizzly Bear

Open season to coincide with the opening of deer and elk seasons in all districts except in areas specified as closed. The season shall close November 28, 1965.

$20 Nonresident Special Black Bear Season

Certain counties (refer to legal notice of April 20, 1965 available from the State Fish and Game Department) shall be open to black bear hunting by holders of valid $20 Nonresident Black Bear Licenses from one-half hour before sunrise May 2, 1965 through one-half hour after sunset August 31, 1965.

Closed to Bear Hunting

Area closed to the hunting of black bear: That portion of Flathead County lying within the Big Creek Drainage of the North Fork of the Flathead River.

Area closed to the hunting of both black and grizzly bear: That portion of Gallatin County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the intersection of Duck Creek and the west boundary of Yellowstone National Park, thence in a westerly direction along Duck Creek to its intersection with Hebgen Lake, thence in a westerly direction along the north shore of Hebgen Lake to the Madison River, thence in a westerly direction along the Madison River to its intersection with Quake Lake, thence in a westerly direction along the north shore of Quake Lake to its intersection with the Gallatin-Madison County line, thence in a southerly direction along said county line to its intersection with the Montana-Idaho State line, thence in a southeasterly direction along said State line to its intersection with the west boundary of Yellowstone National Park, thence in a northerly direction along said boundary to the point of beginning, shall be closed to the hunting of all bear from April 1 through October 23, 1965.

Regulations Governing Bear Hunting

Bag Limit: One bear per person per license year. Montana Fish and Game Commission regulations provide that cub bears or female bears with cubs at side may not be taken except that black bear females and cubs may be taken from September 15 through November 28, 1965, in the districts open to black bear hunting.

Baiting of bear and hunting of bear with dogs is prohibited.

$20 Nonresident Deer License

$20 Nonresident Deer License is valid for only one (1) deer in districts designated on the map as NL. Not more than one $20 Nonresident Deer License shall be issued per person per license year. This license may be issued only for districts not open to elk hunting. Shipping tag is included on the license.

The holder of a $20 Nonresident Deer License is not eligible for a tag for an additional deer in any special area.

NL—Designates districts open to a limited number of special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses. The limited licenses are valid only in the district specified on such license. Licenses are available from the State Fish and Game Department, Helena, and at field offices administering the hunting districts.

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EAR TAGS AND MARKERS

A number of big game animals have been ear-tagged and variously marked with plastic markers for purposes of scientific study.

Please return any such tags and markers to the Montana Fish and Game Department in Helena. Your cooperation will aid materially in providing better hunting for the future.

GOOD SPORTSMEN OBSERVE THE RIGHTS OF LANDOWNERS—

1965 Montana law requires every resident and non-resident must have obtained permission of the landowner, lessee or their agents before hunting big game animals on private property.

S—Designates special deer areas in which nonresident deer hunters need not be accompanied by a resident licensed to hunt game.

CLOSED TO HUNTING FOR DEER, ELK AND BEAR

Check game district regulations for details.

THE USE OF FIREARMS AND FIREWORKS IS PROHIBITED IN ALL STATE PARKS.

ARCHERY SEASON REGULATIONS

During the archery season, in addition to a regular big game license tag, a $2 Special Bow and Arrow License is required and must be validated with the license holder's signature.

It is unlawful to use firearms in any manner in the hunting and/or killing of any game animal during the archery season.

The following type of equipment shall be used: A non-mechanical bow of not less than 40 pounds pull, capable of projecting an arrow 150 yards. The arrow shall not be less than 24 inches in length. It shall have a steel cutting head of not less than one inch in width.

Deer Archery Season

All legally described game districts in the State shall be open to archery hunting for deer from September 26 until the opening of the firearm season unless otherwise specified.

Elk Archery Season

See designated districts.

1965 DEER AND ELK SEASONS

(See legal descriptions on reverse side of map.)

(ALL DEER SEASONS ARE FOR DEER OF EITHER SEX.)

Because it is necessary to abbreviate terms used in the column of regulations, the following abbreviations shall apply:

Where the limit in a district is two (2) white-tailed deer only ..... (WT ONLY)
It will be abbreviated

In districts where the "B" tag is valid only on a white-tailed deer ..... (B TAG WT)
the abbreviation will be

All elk districts have a limit of one (1) elk of designated kind and sex.

In districts where the limit of one (1) antlered bull elk ..... (A. BULLS)
the abbreviation will be

In districts where the limit is one (1) branch antlered bull elk ..... (B.A. BULLS)
the abbreviation will be

In districts where one (1) elk of either sex may be taken ..... (EITHER)
the abbreviation will be

TYPES OF HUNTING LICENSES AND FEES

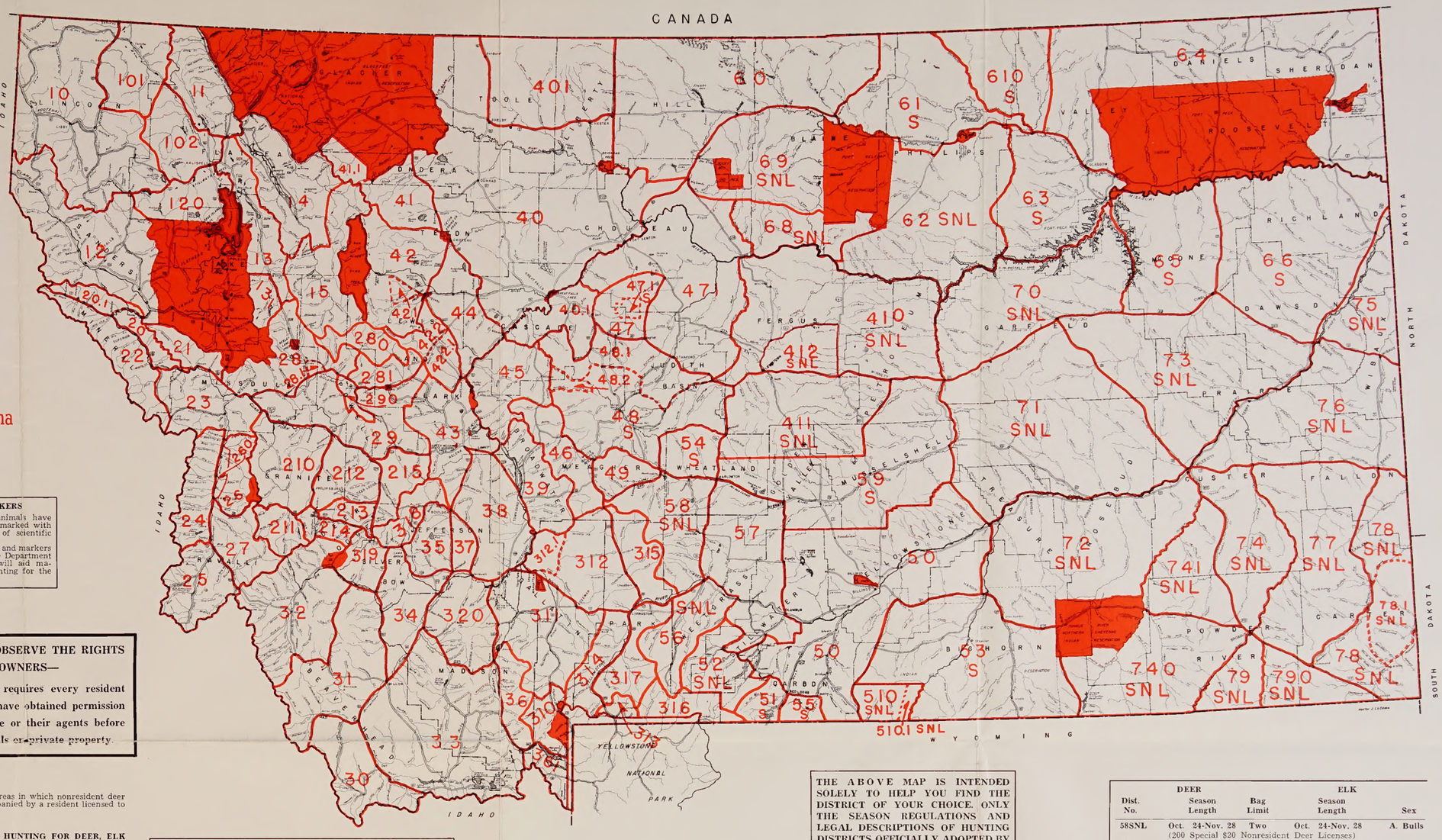
Resident Bird License (Class A-1)	$ 2.00
Resident Big Game Licenses:	
Deer "A" Tag (Class A-3)	1.00
Deer "B" Tag (Class A-4)	1.00
Elk Tag (Class A-5)	1.00
Special Bow and Arrow License (Class A-2)	2.00
Wild Turkey Tag (Must be Holder of Class A-1, Class B-1 or Class B-2 License)	2.00
Nonresident Bird (Class B-1)	25.00
Nonresident Big Game, Birds and Fish (Class B-2)	100.00
Special Nonresident Deer (Special Districts, restricted quotas)	20.00
Special Nonresident Antelope (Special Districts, restricted quotas)	20.00
Special Nonresident Bear (Certain Counties)	20.00

The holder of a Resident or Nonresident Big Game License is entitled to take deer, one elk, one bear and apply for the drawing for antelope, moose, sheep, and goat in specified districts. There is an additional fee for moose, sheep, goat and antelope, and applications for all limited district drawings must have been submitted before July 15, 1965. (See below). Nonresident Big Game License (Class B-2) holders may also fish and hunt birds during the open season thereon.

All aliens must purchase Nonresident Licenses.

SPECIAL BIG GAME LICENSES

Moose (Special districts, restricted quotas)	25.00
Mountain Goat (Special districts, restricted quotas in most, 4 unlimited districts)	5.00
Bighorn Sheep (Special districts, restricted quotas in most, 2 unlimited districts)	15.00
Antelope (Special districts, restricted quotas)	1.00



SEASONS MAY BE REOPENED TO HUNTING OR SPECIAL SEASONS MAY BE DECLARED IN ANY HUNTING DISTRICT OR PORTIONS THEREOF FOR PROPER MANAGEMENT. A SPECIAL SEASON NOTICE WILL BE PUBLISHED TO ANNOUNCE THE DATES AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO ANY REOPENED OR SPECIAL SEASON. AFTER A SEASON OPENS IT MAY BE CLOSED ON TWO DAYS (48 HOURS) NOTICE.

THE ABOVE MAP IS INTENDED SOLELY TO HELP YOU FIND THE DISTRICT OF YOUR CHOICE. ONLY THE SEASON REGULATIONS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS OF HUNTING DISTRICTS OFFICIALLY ADOPTED BY THE FISH AND GAME COMMISSION HAVE LEGAL STATUS. LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS ARE PRINTED ON THE REVERSE PAGE OF THIS MAP.

1965 DEER AND ELK SEASONS

Dist. No.	DEER Season Length	DEER Bag Limit	ELK Season Length	ELK Sex
10	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
11	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
12	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
13	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
14	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
15	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	One	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	Either
101	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
102	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
120	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
131	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	Either
20	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
20.1	EXCEPTION: West of Clark Fork River			
	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	Two	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	Either
21	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
22	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	One	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	Either
23	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
24	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	One	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	Either
25	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	One	Sept. 25-Nov. 28	Either
26	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
27	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
28	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
28.1	EXCEPTION: Blackfoot-Clearwater Game Range			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Either
29	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 14	Either
			Nov. 15-Nov. 28	BA Bulls
210	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
211	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
212	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
213	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Oct. 26	Either
			Oct. 27-Nov. 28	BA Bulls
214	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
215	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 14	Either
260	Archery Season Only Sept. 26-Nov. 28	One	CLOSED	
280	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	Two	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	Either
281	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
290	Archery Season Only Sept. 26-Nov. 28	One	CLOSED	
30	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
31	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
32	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
33	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	BA Bulls
34	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
35	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	Either
			Nov. 1-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
36	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
37	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
38	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24 only	Either
			Oct. 25-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
39	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24 only	Either
			Oct. 25-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
310	Oct. 3-Nov. 7	One	Oct. 3-Nov. 7	Either
311	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
312	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24 only	Either
			Oct. 25-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
312.1	EXCEPTION: Horseshoe Hills			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	Oct. 24 only	Either
			Oct. 25-Nov. 7	A. Bulls
313	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
314	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	Either
			Nov. 1-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
315	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
316	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	One	Sept. 15-Nov. 28	Either
317	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	Either
			Nov. 1-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
318	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	Either
			Nov. 1-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
319	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
320	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Oct. 24 only	Either
			Oct. 25-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
361	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
40	Oct. 24-Oct. 25	One	CLOSED	
40.1	EXCEPTION: Sand Coulee			
	Nov. 27-Nov. 28 (closed to archery hunting)	One	CLOSED	
41	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
41.1	EXCEPTION: North of North Fork Birch Creek			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Oct. 24-Oct. 31	Either
			Nov. 1-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
42	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
42.1	EXCEPTION: Sun River Game Range			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Either
43	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Either
			Nov. 8-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
44	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	One	CLOSED	
45	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
46	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
47	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	One	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
47.1S	EXCEPTION: Within National Forest Boundary			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
48S	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Oct. 24 only	Either
			Oct. 25-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
48.1	EXCEPTION: North and West Foothills, Little Belts			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	District 48S Elk Regulations Apply	
48.2	EXCEPTION: Deep Creek Park			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Oct. 24-Nov. 26	A. Bulls
			Nov. 27-Nov. 28	Either
49	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
			Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
401	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	One	Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
410SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
	(400 Special $20 Nonresident Licenses)		Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later (100 Special $20 Nonresident WT Deer Only Licenses)	
411SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
412SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
	(500 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
422	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Either
422.1	EXCEPTION: South Dearborn			
	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
471	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	One	CLOSED	
50	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	One	CLOSED	
51S	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
52SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
	(200 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
53S	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
54S	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
55S	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 25	A. Bulls
			Nov. 26-Nov. 28	Either
56SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Oct. 31	Either
			Nov. 1-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
	(300 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
57	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	One	CLOSED	
58SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	A. Bulls
	(200 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
59S	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	CLOSED	
510SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
	(200 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
510.1SNL	EXCEPTION: Dry Head-Big Horn District 510SNL Deer Regulations Apply		Nov. 7-Nov. 28 Dec. 1-Until Closed	Either Either
60	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	One	CLOSED	
61S	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	CLOSED	
		(B Tag WT)		
	Nov. 8-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
		(WT Only)		
62SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
		(B Tag WT)		
	(200 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
62.1SNL	EXCEPTION: South Phillips Breaks District 62SNL Deer Regulations Apply		Special Archery Season Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Either
			Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
63S	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Limited Permit Season To Be Announced Later	
		(B Tag WT)		
64	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	One	CLOSED	
65S	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	CLOSED	
		(B Tag WT)		
	Nov. 8-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
		(WT Only)		
66S	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	CLOSED	
		(B Tag WT)		
	Nov. 8-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
		(WT Only)		
68SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
	(100 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
69SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Special Archery Season	
		(B Tag WT)	Oct. 10-Oct. 23	Either
	(50 Special $20 Nonresident Deer Licenses)			
610S	Oct. 24-Nov. 7	Two	CLOSED	
		(B Tag WT)		
	Nov. 8-Nov. 28	Two	CLOSED	
		(WT Only)		

EXCEPTIONS are defined as a portion of a hunting district having a special set of hunting regulations. The legal descriptions of these Exceptions are given on the reverse page of this map. The special hunting regulations for these Exceptions are specified in the table of deer and elk seasons above. Contact a Department office or State Fish & Game Department employee for further information.

Dist. No.	DEER Season Length	DEER Bag Limit	ELK Season Length	ELK Sex
70SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	800
71SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	450
72SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	500
73SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	100
74SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	750
75SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	200 WT Only
			(B Tag WT)	
76SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	150 WT Only
77SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	600
78SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	300
				300 WT Only
78.1SNL	EXCEPTION: Long Pines Sept. 26-Oct. 23	Two	CLOSED (WT Only)	
	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	District 78SNL Deer Regulations Apply	
79SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	300
740SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	1400
741SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	700
790SNL	Oct. 24-Nov. 28	Two	Oct. 30-Nov. 28	300

LEGAL NOTICE

By order of the Montana State Fish and Game Commission the following legal description for the 1965 deer, elk and bear hunting districts are adopted.

State Fish and Game Commission
Frank H. Dunkle, Secretary
March 15, 1965

LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS

1965 Deer, Elk and Bear Hunting Districts

10 KOOTENAI: Those portions of Lincoln and Flathead Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning where the Lincoln County line meets the Idaho border, thence northerly along said border to the Canadian border, thence easterly along said border to the Kootenai River, thence southerly down said river to Tripple Horse Creek, thence westerly up said creek to the Tripple Horse Creek Road, thence easterly on said road to U.S. Forest Service Trail No. 280, thence easterly along Forest Service Trails No. 280 and 281 to Davis Mountain, thence southerly along the divide to Elk Mountain, Tepee Mountain, Sanders Mountain, Grubb Mountain, Pleasant Valley Mountain and Herrig Creek Road, thence southerly along said road to U.S. Highway No. 2, thence easterly along said road to the Flathead River, thence southerly along said river to the Lincoln County line, thence westerly along said county line to the Idaho border, the point of beginning.

11 NORTH FORK: Those portions of Flathead and Lincoln Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the confluence of the North Fork of the Flathead River with the international boundary, thence northerly up the river to the Canadian border, thence westerly along said border to the divide between Weaser Creek and the North Fork of the Flathead River, thence southerly along said divide to the Ruseky Creek Road, thence westerly along said road to the Stillwater River Road, thence southerly along said road to U.S. Highway No. 93 at Stryker, thence northerly along said highway to State Highway No. 40, thence easterly along said highway to the Flathead River, thence northerly along said river to the mouth of the North Fork of the Flathead River, the point of beginning.

12 CLARK FORK: That portion of Sanders County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning where the Montana-Idaho border meets the Lincoln County border, thence easterly along said county line to U.S. Highway No. 2, thence easterly along said highway to the Thompson River Road, thence southerly along said road to U.S. Forest Service Trail No. 137 on Shrader Creek, thence easterly along said trail to U.S. Forest Service Trail No. 207, thence southerly on said trail to the Clark Fork River, thence westerly along said river to the Montana-Idaho border, thence northerly along said border to the point of beginning.

13 SWAN: Those portions of Flathead, Lake and Missoula Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the mouth of the South Fork of the Flathead River, thence up the South Fork to Frank Creek, thence up Frank Creek to U.S. Forest Service Trail No. 1, thence up said trail to Doris Mountain on the Swan Divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Clearwater-Swan Divide (Lolo National Forest boundary), thence southerly along said divide to the head of Squeezer Creek in the Swan River Highway, thence northerly along said highway to the Missoula-Lake County line, thence westerly along said county line to the Flathead Indian Reservation boundary, thence northerly and westerly along said boundary to Flathead Lake, thence northerly along the shore of said lake to the mouth of the Flathead River to the South Fork of the Flathead River, the point of beginning.

14 LOWER SOUTH & MIDDLE FORKS: That portion of Flathead County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Forest Service Trail No. 114 with the Swan Divide at the head of Cannon Creek, thence easterly and northeasterly along Trail No. 115 to U.S. Forest Service Trail No. 116, thence southeasterly on Trail No. 116 to the South Fork of the Flathead River, thence up said river to Mid Creek, thence up Mid Creek to Forest Service Trail No. 103, thence easterly on said trail to Forest Service Trail No. 104, thence southeasterly on said Trail No. 93 to Forest Service Trail No. 43, thence northerly on said Trail No. 43 to Forest Service Trail No. 1171, thence northeasterly on Trail No. 1171 to Forest Service Trail No. 154, on the head of Schafer Creek, thence northerly on said Trail No. 154 to the Forest Service Trail No. 12, thence northeasterly on Trail No. 12 to the Montana-Idaho Divide, thence northwest along said divide to Lookout Pass, thence east on U.S. Highway No. 10 to Superior, the point of beginning.

23 LOLO-PETTY-MILLER CREEKS: Those portions of Mineral, Missoula, and Ravalli Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway No. 93 and the Lolo Creek Road, thence up said road to the following Carlton Lake Road to Carlton Lake, thence in a southerly direction to Lolo Peak, thence in a southwesterly direction following the divide between the South Fork of Lolo Creek and the Bitterroot River to the Montana-Idaho border, thence following the Montana-Idaho border in a westerly direction to U.S. Highway No. 12, following the Montana-Idaho border in a westerly direction to its junction with Forest Roads No. 343 and 343A, thence northerly along said roads to the Lolo-Fish Creek Road at the South Fork of Fish Creek, thence north along said road to U.S. Highway No. 10 (Interstate 90), thence east along U.S. No. 10 to its junction with County Route No. 46 near Tarvah, thence southwest along said Route No. 46 to Crystal Creek, thence south along Crystal Creek to its head at the Clark Fork-Bitterroot Divide, thence southeast along said divide to the Eight Mile-Schwartz Creek Road, thence westerly along said road to the Eastside State Highway No. 269, thence west along said highway to U.S. Highway No. 93 at Florence, thence north along said highway to the Carlton Lake Road, the point of beginning.

24 WEST BITTERROOT: Those portions of Ravalli and Missoula Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of the Carlton Lake Road and U.S. Highway No. 93, thence in a southerly direction along U.S. Highway No. 93 to Tin Cup Creek, thence in a westerly direction up Tin Cup Creek to the Montana-Idaho border, thence in a northerly direction along the Montana-Idaho border to the head of the South Fork of Lolo Creek, thence in a northeasterly direction following the divide between the South Fork of Lolo Creek and the Bitterroot River to Lolo Peak, thence in an easterly direction to Carlton Lake, thence in an easterly direction following the Carlton Lake Road to U.S. Highway No. 93, the point of beginning.

25 WEST FORK: That portion of Ravalli County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of Tin Cup Creek and U.S. Highway No. 93, thence southerly along U.S. Highway No. 93 to the Montana-Idaho border, thence in a southwesterly and northerly direction along the Montana-Idaho border to Tin Cup Creek, thence southerly and easterly down Tin Cup Creek to its junction with U.S. Highway No. 93, the point of beginning.

26 EAST BITTERROOT: Those portions of Ravalli County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway No. 93 and Eastside State Highway No. 269 at Hamilton, thence north along Eastside State Highway No. 269 to its junction with the Eight Mile Creek Road, thence east along said road to the Rock Creek-Bitterroot Divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Skalkaho Road (State Highway No. 38), thence westerly along said road to U.S. Highway No. 93, thence along said highway to its junction with the Eastside State Highway No. 269, the point of beginning.

Skalkaho Game Preserve closed to big game hunting.

27 EAST FORK: That portion of Ravalli County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway No. 93 and the Skalkaho Road (State Highway No. 38), thence in an easterly direction along the Skalkaho Road to the Bitterroot-Rock Creek Divide to its junction with the Continental Divide, thence in a southerly direction along the Continental Divide to Mount Powell, thence in a southwesterly direction along State line to its junction with U.S. Highway No. 93, thence in a northerly direction along said highway to the Skalkaho Road (State Highway No. 38), the point of beginning.

28 LOWER BLACKFOOT: Those portions of Missoula and Powell Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Missoula, thence northwest along U.S. Highway No. 10 to U.S. Highway No. 93, thence north along U.S. Highway No. 93 to the Flathead Indian Reservation Boundary near Dixon, thence east and north along said boundary to the Clearwater-Swan River Divide, thence southeast along said divide to the Clearwater-Flathead River Divide, thence southeasterly along said divide to the Continental Divide, thence southeasterly along said divide to the Scapegoat Mountain, thence southwesterly along said divide to the Rattlesnake Creek Trail (No. 423), thence southwesterly along said trail to Red Mountain, thence southeasterly on the Silver King Mountain Trail (No. 784) to the Meadow Creek Trail (No. 421) crosses, thence southerly up said trail to its intersection with Trail No. 8 (Beartrap Trail), thence southeasterly on Trail No. 8 to the Beartrap-Ringeye Creek Trail (No. 423), thence southwesterly along said trail to Red Mountain, thence southeasterly along said divide to the West Fork of Elk Creek, thence southerly down said creek to the Clearwater River, thence southerly down said creek to the Clearwater River, thence southerly down said creek to the Clearwater River